

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-10, 12-13 and 20-24 were allowed. Claims 15-16 and 19 were objected to as allowable if amended into independent form. By the amendments above, claim 14 has been amended with the limitations of allowable claim 15. Allowable claim 19 has been amended to include the limitations of base claim 14. Claims 11 and 25 have been cancelled. Accordingly, all of the claims have been indicated as allowed or allowable.


The cancelled or amended claims prior to amendment may be pursued in a continuation application.

CONCLUSION:

Applicants respectfully submit that all of the pending claims are in condition for allowance and seeks early allowance thereof. If for any reason, the Examiner is unable to allow the application but believes that an interview would be helpful to resolve any issues, he is respectfully requested to call the undersigned at (650) 943-7554 or Craig Summerfield at (312) 321-4726.

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